

Paper No. 585
Disposes of
Paper No. 517
in part only.

INTERNATIONAL MILITARY TRIBUNAL FOR THE FAR EAST
SITTING AT TOKYO, JAPAN

Case No. 1

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; et al)	ORDER:
)	THAT FACILITIES TO
- vs -)	INTERROGATE OR
)	INTERVIEW CERTAIN
ARAKI, Sadao; et al)	WITNESSES REQUESTED
)	BY THE ACCUSED DOHIHARA
)	BE PROVIDED.

This matter coming on to be heard on this 12th day of November, 1946, before The Honorable Sir William Webb, President of the Tribunal, upon the application of DOHIHARA, Kenji, one of the defendants herein, for the production of witnesses necessary to the defense of said DOHIHARA, Kenji, in accordance with the provisions of Section III, Article 9, Paragraph (e) of the Charter, the names of said witnesses being fully set forth in said application, which is Paper No. 517; and after hearing the statements and arguments of Counsel for the said DOHIHARA, Kenji, and the Tribunal being fully advised in the premises, it is

ORDERED: That each of the following named persons, all of whom are Japanese nationals and may be located within the territorial limits of Japan, be produced or required to present himself at the time and place directed by the General Secretary of the Tribunal for interrogation by Counsel for the accused DOHIHARA to determine if his presence will be required at a later date to testify on behalf of the said DOHIHARA:

1.

FUKUNAGA, Hajime:

- (a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
- (b) He served under the accused during the North China campaign and is at present believed to be in Japan but his present address is unknown.

2.

KINOSHITA, Shutaro;

- (a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
- (b) He served under the accused during the North China campaign and is at present believed to be in Japan but his present address is unknown.

3.

KIKUCHI, Mamoru

- (a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
- (b) He served as subordinate officer under the accused when the accused was the Inspector General of Military Training, and at present is believed to be in Japan but his present address is unknown.

4.

TAKAHASHI, Tatsuhiko;

- (a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
- (b) He was Chief of Staff under the accused when the accused was Commander in Chief of the Eastern Army and is believed to be in Japan, but his present address is unknown.

5. YAMAZAKI, Masso;
- (a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
 - (b) He was Senior Staff Officer of the Eastern Army and served under the accused when the accused was Commander in Chief of the Eastern Army, and is believed to be in Japan, but his present address is unknown.
6. HASHIMOTO, Gun;
- (a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
 - (b) He was Chief of Staff of the First Army during 1937 and 1938 and served under the accused when the accused was Commander in Chief of said First Army, and is believed to be in Japan, but his present address is unknown.
7. KUWASHIMA, Kazue;
- (a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
 - (b) The witness is now in Tokyo, Japan. He was Japanese Consul General in Tientsin, China.
- It is further

ORDERED: That every facility and assistance be provided to Counsel for the accused DOHIHARA to submit written interrogatories to or verbally interrogate the following named persons at the places where said persons are now located and held:

1. SENDA, Moritoshi;
 - (a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
 - (b) The witness was Commander of the 81st Division, Compound and Independent Corps, Changsha, China, at the end of the war and it is believed he is still there as a prisoner of war of the Chinese.
2. MORIKI, Goro;
 - (a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
 - (b) The witness was the Gendarme Colonel of the Prison for War Criminals, 11th District, Peking, China at the end of the war and it is believed he is still there as a prisoner of war of the Chinese.
3. MIURA, Chujiro;
 - (a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
 - (b) The witness was Commander of the 69th Division, Unjo, China at the end of the war and it is believed he is still there as a prisoner of war of the Chinese.
4. TAKAHASHI, Tan;
 - (a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
 - (b) The witness was the Chief of Staff of the North China Army at the end of the war and it is believed he is still in China as a prisoner of war of the Chinese.

5. IMAI, Takeo;
(a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
(b) The witness was Chief of the Liaison Bureau in Nanking, China at the end of the war and it is believed he is still there as a prisoner of war of the Chinese.
6. MIYAZAKI, Shigesaburo;
(a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
(b) The witness was Commander of the 54th Division, Burma, at the end of the war and it is believed he is still there as a prisoner of war of the British.
7. YAHAGI, Nakao;
(a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
(b) The witness served as Chief of Staff of the Japanese Army in Burma at the end of the war and is believed to be still there as a prisoner of war of the British.
8. AYABE, Kitsujyu;
(a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
(b) The witness was Lieutenant General in the Japanese Army and at the end of the war was in Singapore and it is believed he is still there, a prisoner of war of the British.

9. TAZAKA, Senichi;
(a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
(b) The witness was Lieutenant General in the Japanese Army and at the end of the war was in Singapore and it is believed he is still there, as a prisoner of war of the British.
10. SUZUKI, Kunji;
(a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
(b) The witness is at present in custody at Sugamo Prison, Tokyo.
11. NISHIO, Juzo;
(a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
(b) The witness is at present in custody at Sugamo Prison, Tokyo.
12. ISOGAI, Rensuke;
(a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
(b) The witness is at present in custody at Sugamo Prison, Tokyo.
13. MINAMI, Jiro;
(a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
(b) The witness is at present in custody at Sugamo Prison, Tokyo, and is one of the accused in this trial.

14. ITAGAKI, Seishiro;
(a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
(b) The witness is at present in custody at Sugamo Prison, Tokyo, Japan, and is one of the accused in this trial.
15. UMEZU, Yoshijiro;
(a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
(b) The witness is at present in custody at Sugamo Prison, Tokyo, Japan, and is one of the accused in this trial.

It is further

ORDERED: That the application of the accused for the issuance of a subpoena for each of the persons named in his request for the production of witnesses is indefinitely continued, awaiting the results and disclosures of the interrogations hereinbefore authorized and ordered, and the accused is granted permission to file a supplemental application for the issuance of subpoenas for such witnesses, selected from the list named in his original application (Paper No. 517), as may be found necessary to his proper defense in this case, as a result of said interrogations.

Dated at Tokyo, Japan, this 29 day of November,
1946.

BY THE TRIBUNAL:

Signed

W. F. Webb
PRESIDENT